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Attorney Docket No. **79836**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: **Bozidar Stipanovic**  
Appln No.: **10/730,879**  
Filed: **December 8, 2003**  
For: **CARBON BEADS**  
Group Art  
Unit: **1773**  
Examiner: **Leszek B. Kiliman**

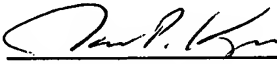
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**AMENDMENT A**

Mail Stop **AMENDMENT**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

Dear Sir or Madam:

In response to the office action dated March 28, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.